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## US-101 Realignment Project Closure Schedule

**Los Angeles** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close portions of US-101 as part of a realignment project in coordination with the Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) and the City of Los Angeles. Construction will take place on the southbound US-101 between Alameda Street and Vignes Street. All closures are weather permitting. The closures are as follows:

### **Nightly Monday, June 12, through Thursday June 15:**

- 11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m. – Full closure of northbound US-101 between Vignes Street and Alameda Street
- 11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m. – northbound US-101 on-ramp at Vignes
- 11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m. – Full closure of southbound US-101 between Main Street and Alameda Street
- 11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m. – southbound US-101 on-ramp at Los Angeles Street

**Note: The Freeway Closure will be in one direction at a time. A signed detour will be posted to assist motorists.**

The \$24.5 million project will realign the freeway for easier transitioning through the area, replace on- and off-ramps at Hewitt and Vignes Streets with new ramps at Garey Street, construct a bridge over the US-101 and Commercial Street connecting Union Station in preparation for the future Gold Line Eastside extension. Improvements to Commercial Street, which parallels the southbound US-101 will also be made. Construction is estimated for completion in winter 2006/2007

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